

In re Application of: Herzog et al.
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 For: STORAGE RACK SYSTEM AND LOCKING LATCH THEREFOR

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Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00 (enclosed).
 Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

No additional claim fee is required.

Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL	49	MINUS	20	=29	x 9=	\$	x 18=	\$ 522
INDEPENDENT	10	MINUS	3	=7	x 42=	\$	x 84=	\$ 588
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM					+ 140=	\$	+ 280=	\$
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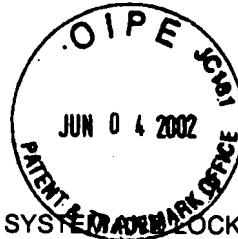
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